## **Introduced by Assembly Member Evans**

February 22, 2005

An act to amend Section 24011 of the Government Code, relating to county officers.

## LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1318, as introduced, Evans. County officers: public administrators.

Existing law authorizes the boards of supervisors of specified counties to provide, by ordinance, that the public administrator be appointed by the board.

This bill would include Sonoma County within those counties whose boards of supervisors are authorized to provide for the appointment of the public administrator by the board.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:* 

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 24011 of the Government Code is
- 2 amended to read:
- 3 24011. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 24009:
- 4 (a) The Boards of Supervisors of Glenn County, Madera
- 5 County, Mendocino County, Napa County, Solano County,
- 6 Sonoma County, Trinity County, Tuolumne County, and Lake
- 7 County may, by ordinance, provide that the public administrator
- 8 shall be appointed by the board.

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1 (b) The Boards of Supervisors of Madera County, Mendocino
2 County, Napa County, Trinity County, Tuolumne County, and
3 Lake County may appoint the same person to the offices of
4 public administrator, veteran service officer, and public guardian.
5 The Board of Supervisors of Glenn County and Solano County
6 may, by ordinance, appoint the same person to the offices of
7 public administrator and public guardian.
8 (c) The Boards of Supervisors of Glenn County, Madera

(c) The Boards of Supervisors of Glenn County, Madera County, Mendocino County, Napa County, Trinity County, Tuolumne County, and Lake County may separate the consolidated offices of district attorney and public administrator at any time in order to make the appointments permitted by this section. Upon approval by the board of supervisors, the officer elected to these offices at any time may resign, or decline to qualify for, the office of public administrator without resigning from, or declining to qualify for, the office of district attorney.